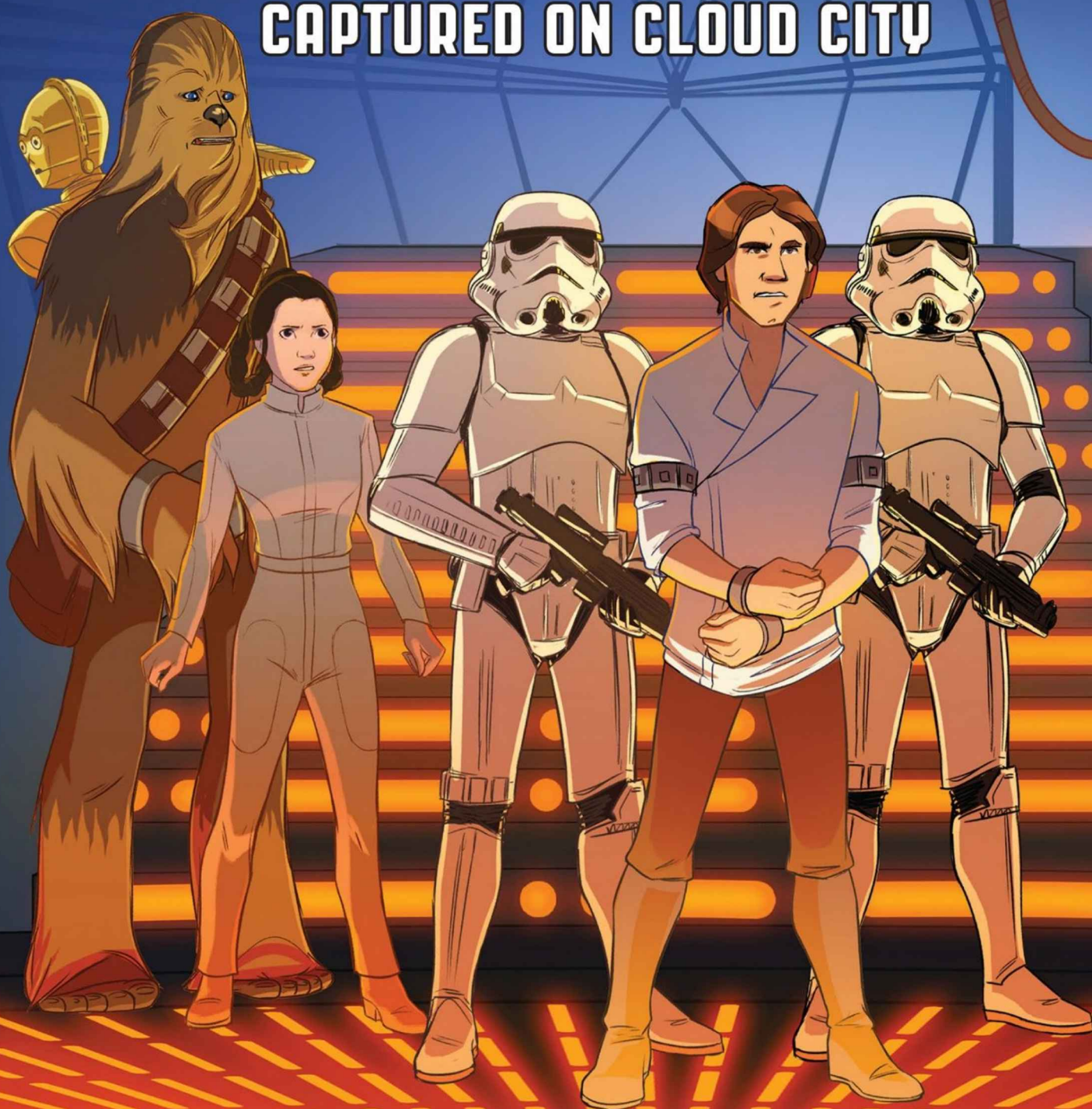


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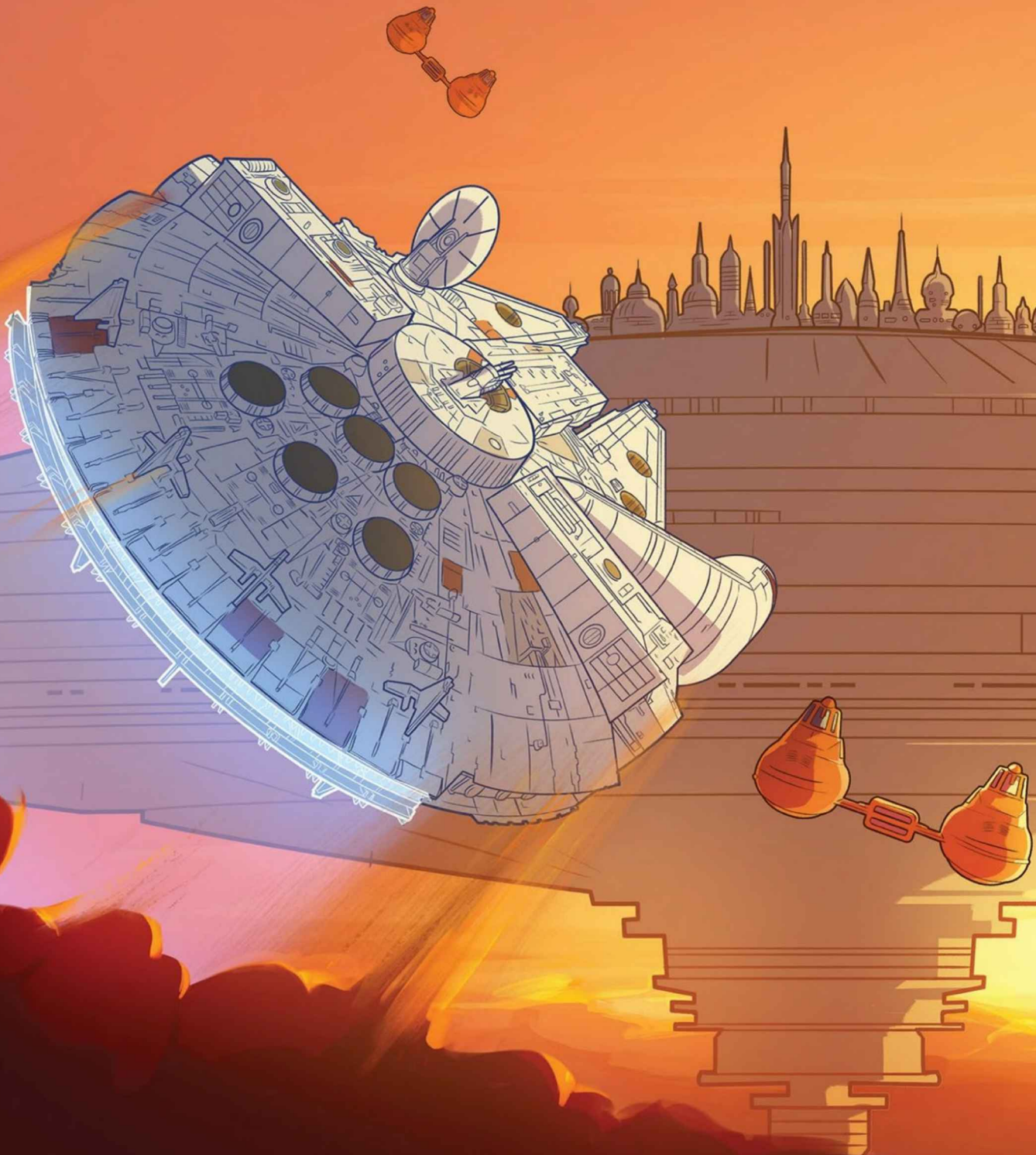
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The *Millennium Falcon* raced toward  
the floating Cloud City above Bespin.  
The ship had escaped  
from the Empire.  
But it was badly damaged.

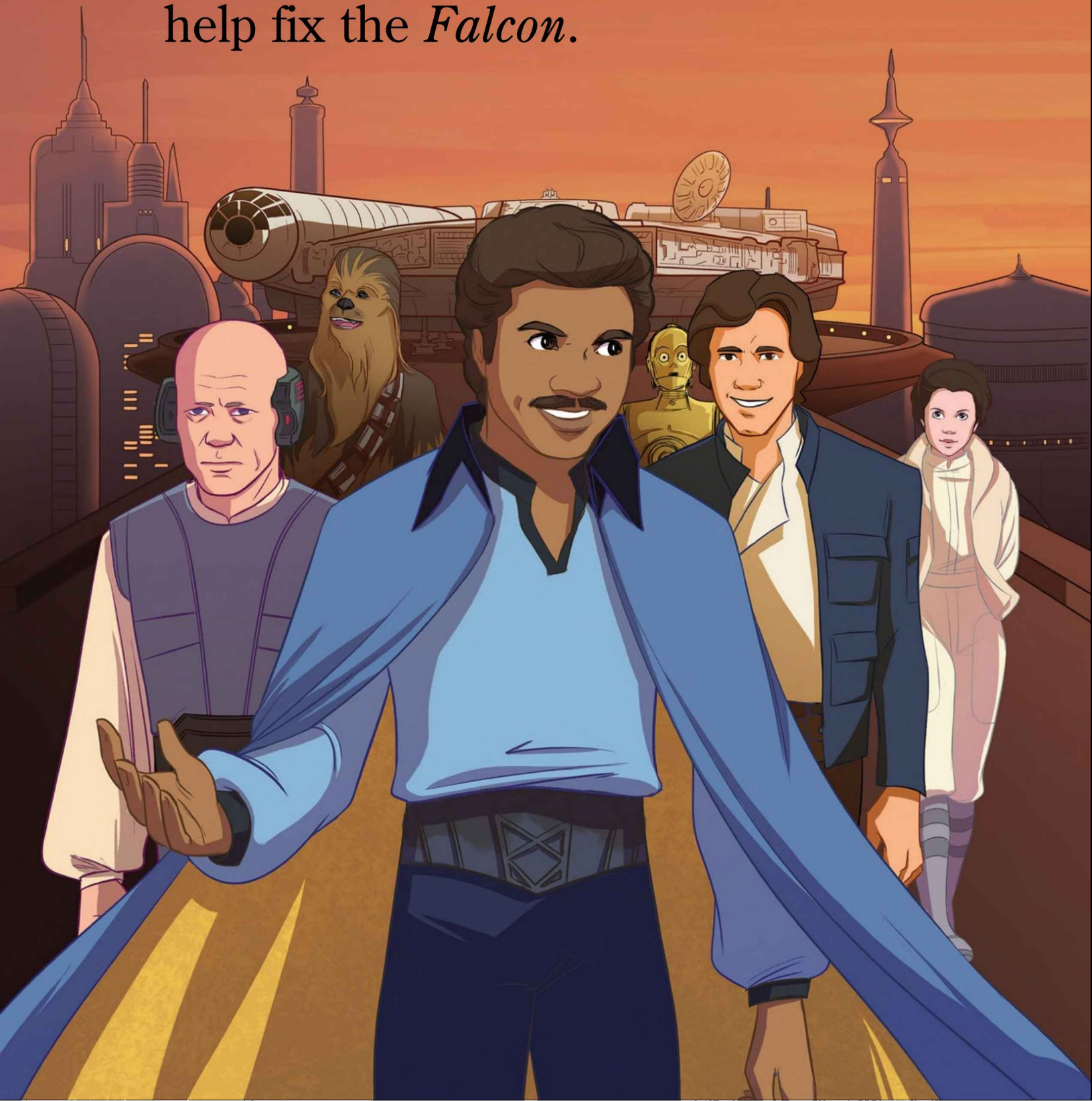




Han, Leia, Chewie, and C-3PO  
needed help!

Han's old friend Lando  
invited them to stay with him.

Lando said he would  
help fix the *Falcon*.





But the team was still in danger!  
First C-3PO wandered away  
and was hit by blaster fire.



Then Darth Vader arrived!  
Han fired his blaster.  
But Darth Vader used the Force  
to deflect Han's blasts.



A bounty hunter named Boba Fett had followed the team to Cloud City. Boba Fett had contacted Darth Vader. Darth Vader had made Lando set a trap for Leia, Han, and Chewie.





Darth Vader locked up  
Leia, Han, and Chewie.  
Leia and Han did not  
know what to do.  
Chewie tried to put  
C-3PO back together.

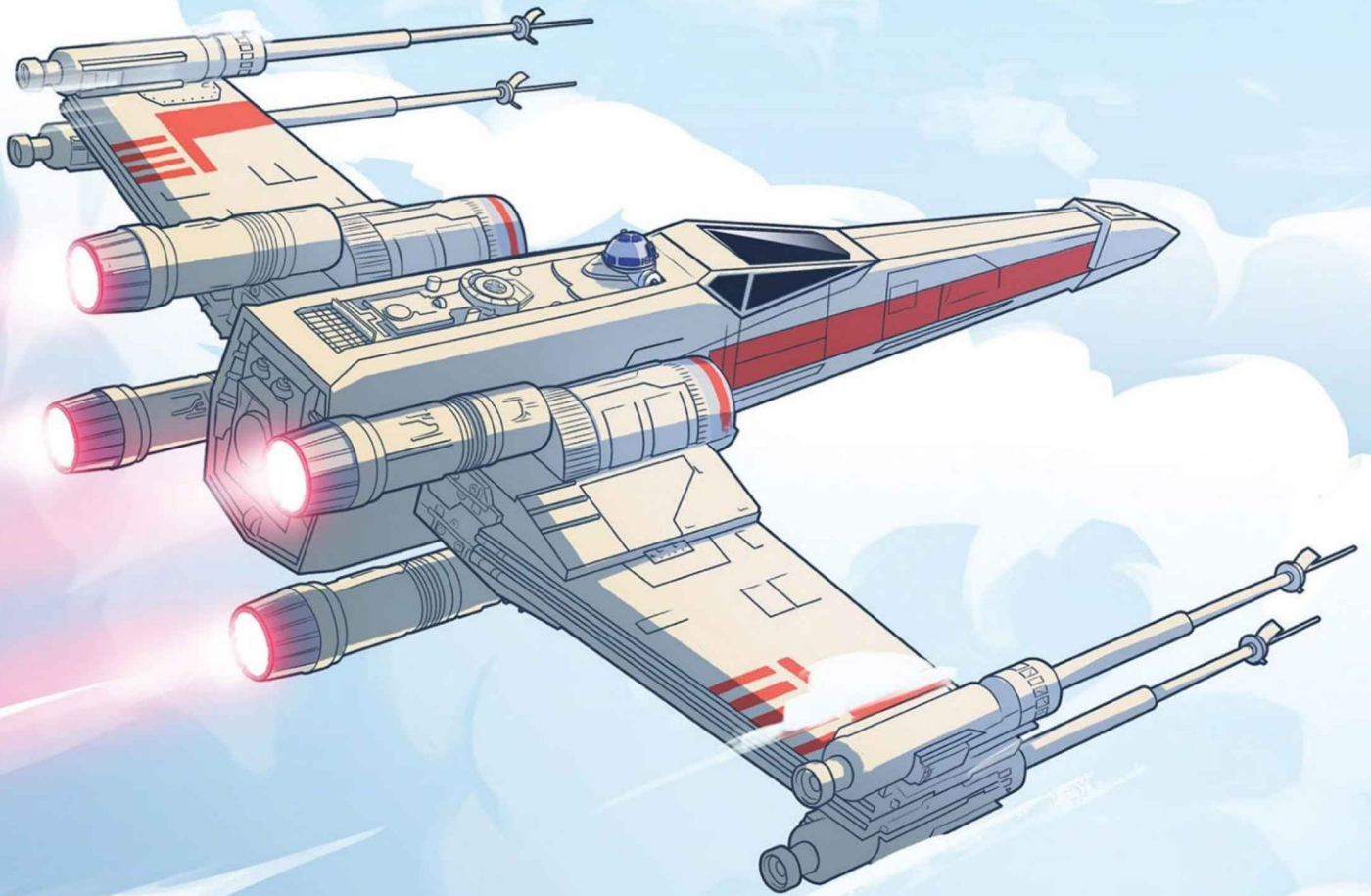


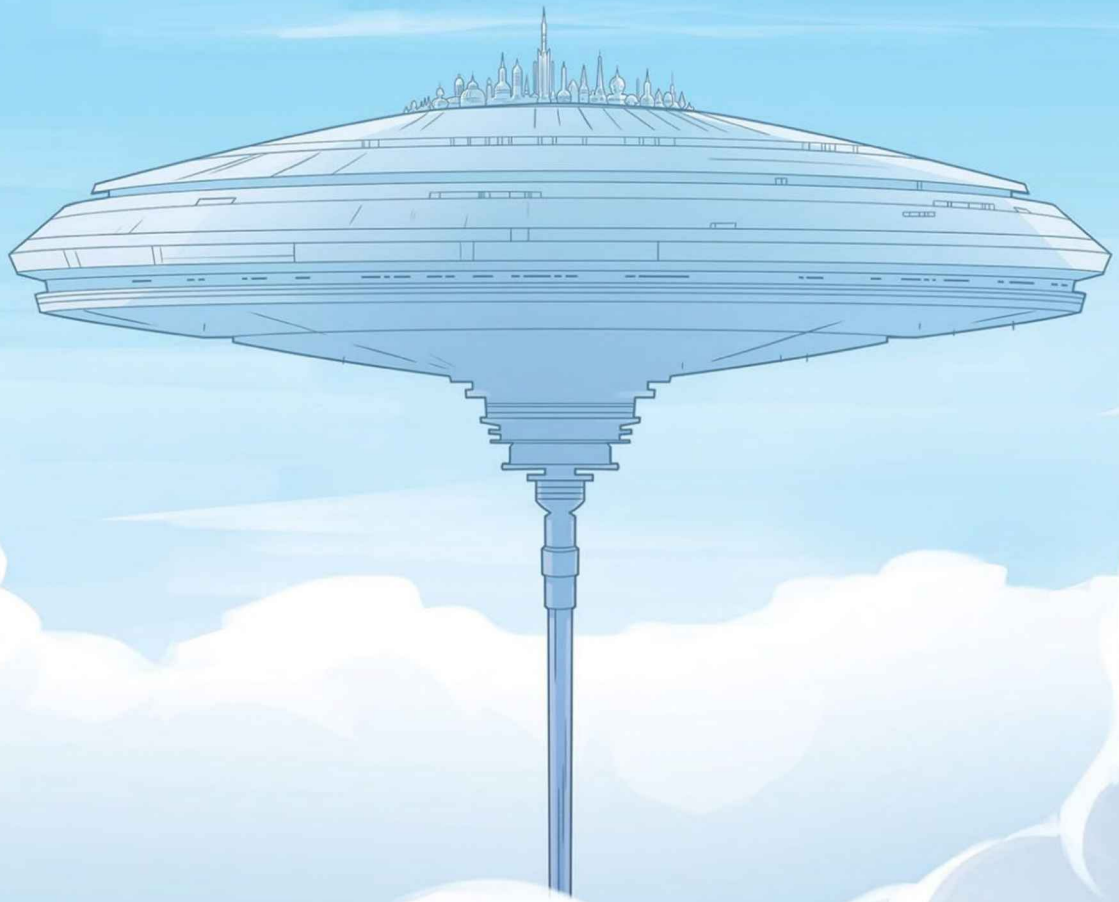




Darth Vader was using Leia and Han to trap Luke Skywalker.  
Darth Vader knew Luke would try to rescue his friends.

Darth Vader was right.  
Luke had sensed that his friends  
needed help.





Luke and his droid R2-D2  
were flying to Cloud City!



Darth Vader was going to  
freeze Luke in carbonite.  
But Darth Vader decided to test  
the machine and freeze Han first.





Then Boba Fett was going  
to take Han to Jabba the Hutt.  
Jabba the Hutt was a mean alien.  
Han owed Jabba money.



Han said good-bye to  
Leia and Chewie.  
Then he was frozen.





Luke arrived to help his friends.  
Leia tried to tell Luke  
that it was a trap.  
But the troopers carried Leia away.



Luke searched for his friends.  
But he found Darth Vader instead.  
Luke ignited his lightsaber.





Darth Vader ignited his lightsaber.  
Luke and Darth Vader began to duel.



Meanwhile, Lando freed  
Chewie and Leia.

Lando did not like Darth Vader.

Lando wanted to save Han!





Boba Fett was loading  
Han onto his ship.  
Lando, Chewie, and Leia  
ran to the platform!



But they were too late.  
Boba Fett's ship blasted  
into the sky.

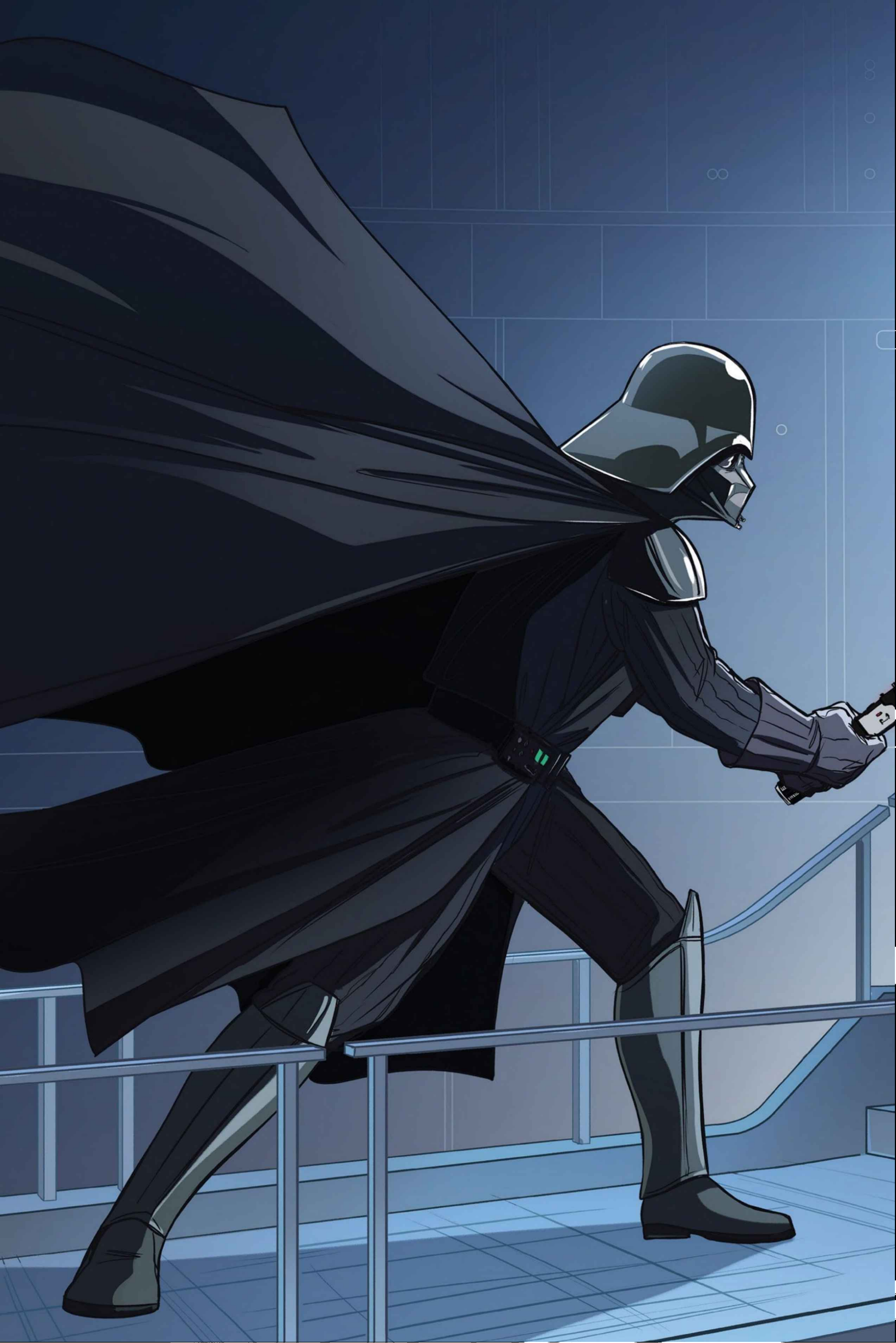
Leia, Lando, Chewie, and C-3PO  
needed to get back to the *Falcon*.  
R2-D2 arrived just in time  
to help them!







Stormtroopers tried  
to stop the team!  
But Leia, Lando, Chewie, C-3PO,  
and R2-D2 flew away in the *Falcon*!





Luke and Darth Vader continued to fight!  
Darth Vader wanted Luke to join  
the dark side of the Force.  
Luke refused.



But Darth Vader was too strong.  
Darth Vader struck Luke.  
Luke dropped his lightsaber.  
Luke's lightsaber fell away.  
Then Darth Vader told Luke  
that he was Luke's father!







Luke was shocked!  
He needed to get away  
from Darth Vader.





Luke decided to follow  
his lightsaber.

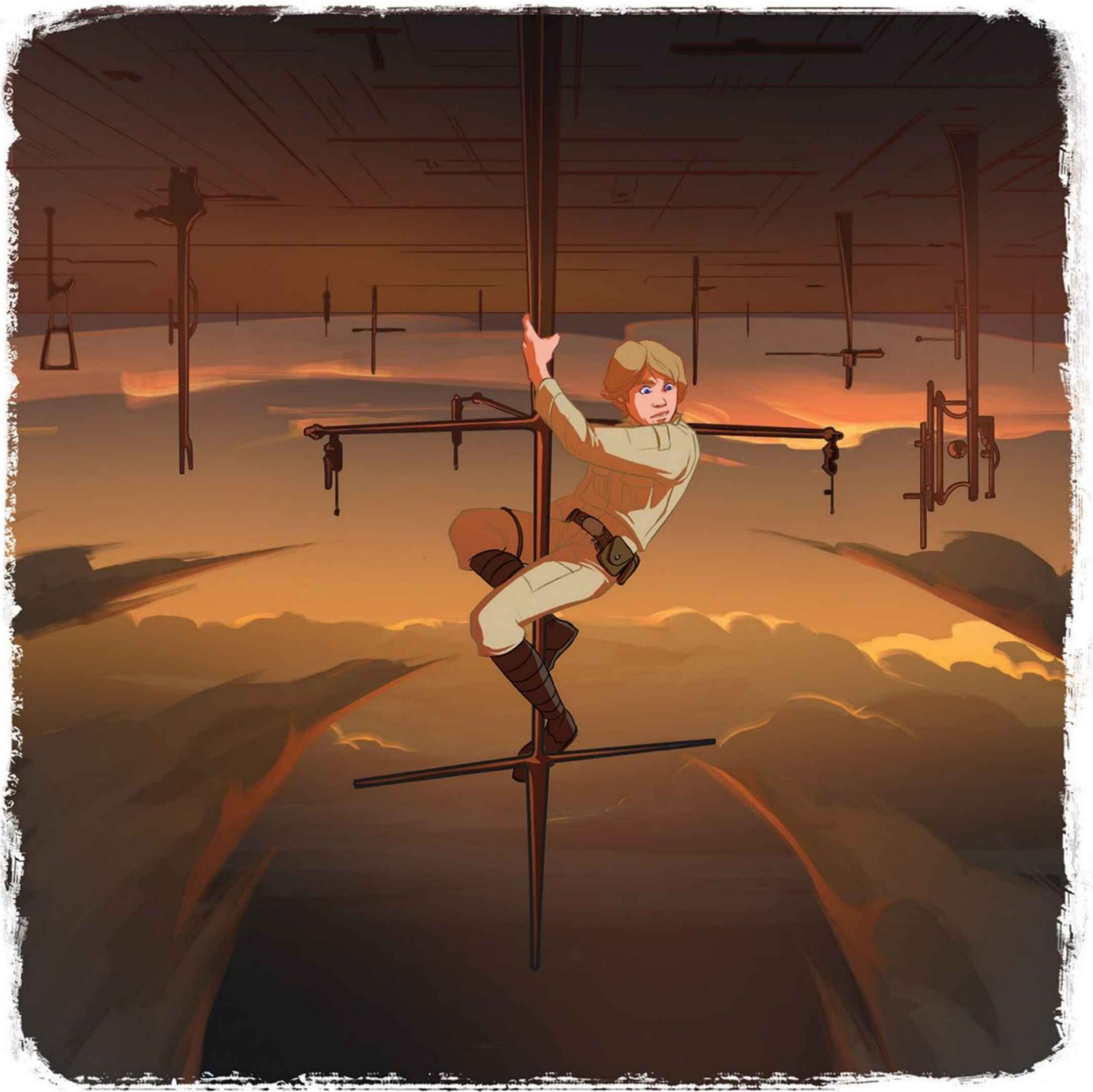
Luke fell away from Darth Vader.



Luke grabbed on to an antenna.

He was all alone.

Luke did not know what to do.





Leia sensed that Luke  
needed her help.





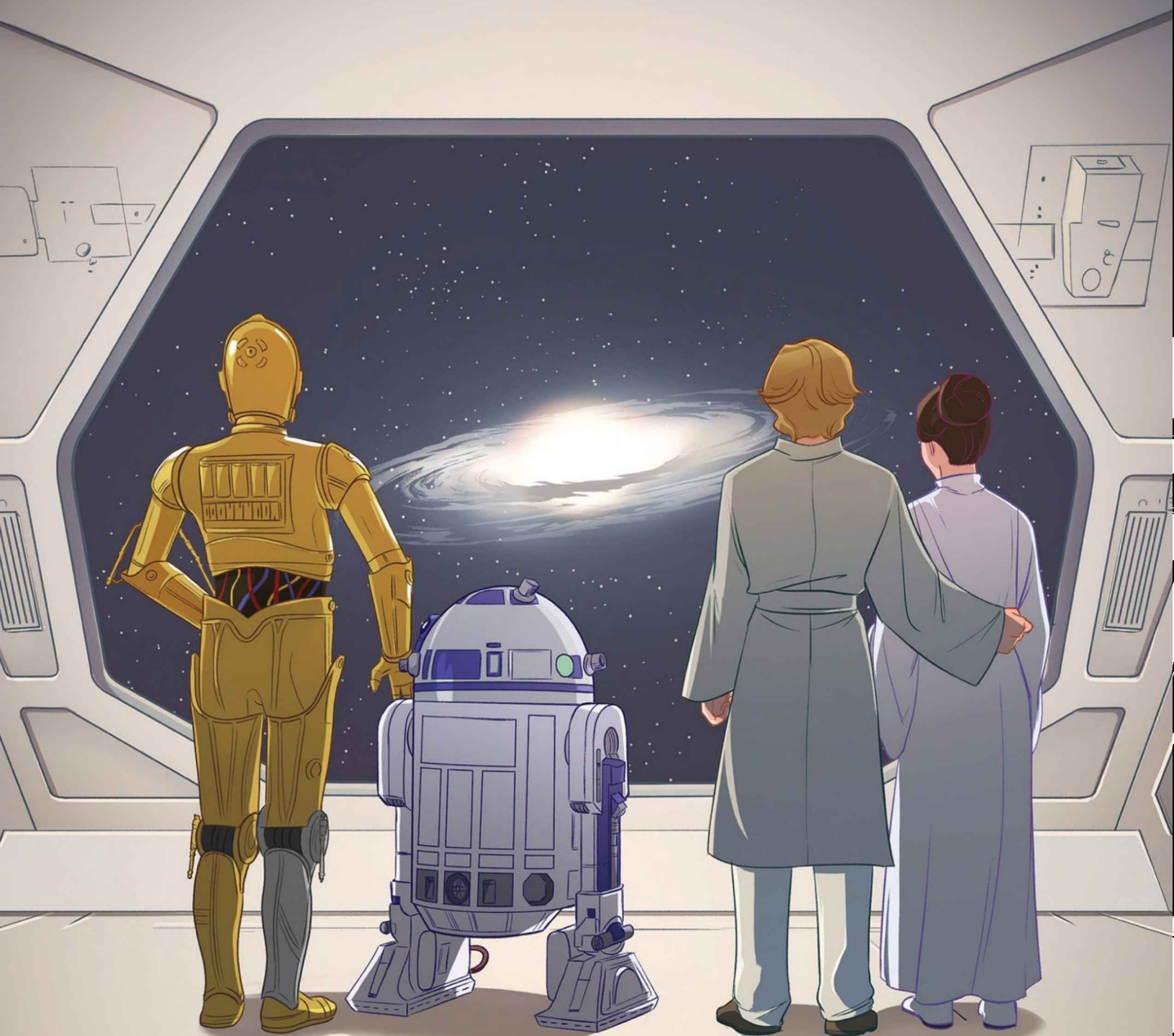
The team flew back to Cloud City.  
They rescued Luke and  
jumped to lightspeed.







Luke knew he would face  
Darth Vader again.  
But now was not the time.  
They had to get back to the rebels.



Together, the heroes would find a way  
to save Han and defeat the Empire!





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